

Minutes of Monthly Meeting M.D. Battle River No. 423

The council of the municipal district of Battle River, No. 423, met in the office of the secretary-treasurer at Irma, Alberta, on Thursday, July 10, 1941.

Beeve R. D. Smallwood in the chair, councillors present as follows: Blakely, Smallwood, Archibald, Steele and Collette.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that Mr. Collette be deputy reeve for this meeting on account of absence of deputy reeve Kelly. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the minutes of June 15 be read by the secretary be accepted as read. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that the report of the reeve and secretary on valuations of municipal owned lands be accepted and approved. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that the report of Mr. Blakely re McLean and the \$25.00-45.00 W4 be accepted. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that the report of the Mr. Archibald re J. D. MacIntyre be accepted. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the report of Mr. Smallwood re late C. Brunson be accepted and action taken be approved. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the report of Mr. Smallwood re accounts of J. J. Harvey and C. Brunson be accepted. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the report of Messrs. Smallwood and Collette re E. Sunderman be accepted and action taken be approved. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that the application of O. Golish for direct relief from I.D. 601 be received and recommendation of \$10 for the month of July, 1941, be forwarded to the bureau of public welfare. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that relief be issued to J. D. MacIntyre for \$8 until August 14, and change the provincial government. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that relief be issued to F. Cartier for \$12 until August 14, food relief. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that relief be issued to Geo. McLean for \$15 until August 14, 1941. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that the secretary advise Mrs. C. McDowell that as the municipal district have purchased gravel pits in the district for \$95 per acre that \$12.50 is the most they will pay for the half acre in the NE 16-45-8 and if this is not accepted the council will expropriate such area. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Steele that the secretary write the C.P.R. department of natural resources asking them if they will sell to the municipal district one half acre in the NW 25-45-8 W4 for the purpose of a gravel pit, the amount that the municipal district will pay being \$10.00. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that Mr. Smallwood be appointed to represent the municipal district at the court of appeal at Irma July 15. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood an amendment to motion No. 288 that the name of Smallwood be deleted and that the words "the council as a whole" be added. Amendment lost. Motion No. 288 put and carried.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that Mr. Collette be appointed to represent the municipal district at the court of appeal at Irma July 15, 1941. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Steele that the re-

quest of Mr. Smallwood that he be withdrawn from the committee re appeals be accepted. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that there be added to the list of standing committees an agriculture grounds committee and that Messrs. Smallwood, Archibald and the secretary be that committee. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Steele that the secretary forward to Mr. J. E. Brownlee, K.C., a detailed statement as to how the \$227.00 was arrived at with reference to Woods and the Royal Bank W4 12 and all 18-46-7 and advise the solicitors of the Royal Bank in reply to theirs of July 2nd that they apply to Mr. Brownlee for the information they desire. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that the reeve and secretary be a committee to purchase a marker and complete the grave of late Jas. Molloy but not to exceed the sum of \$25.00. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that the secretary be instructed to revive the terms of the W4 12-46-7 under the title of the Tax Recovery Act, and approve the assignment of lease to the Canada Life Assurance Co. that the municipal district have with S. Kelly dated April 10, 1941. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Steele that the letter from R. Fair M.P. Battle River re F.P.A. Act be tabled until August 14 meeting and that he be advised that this matter is receiving attention. Motion lost.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that the secretary obtain application form under the P.F.I.A. Act for cultivated acreage report and form for notice that the municipal district is below the 12 bushel average. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Steele that the secretary acknowledge receipt of letter from R. Fair M.P. Battle River with regards to the P.F.I.A. Act. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that an allowance under the Mothers' Allowance Act be granted to Mrs. A. Brunson at the rate of \$80 per month. Motion lost. For the motion, Smallwood, Collette; against the motion, Archibald, Steele, Blakely.

Moved by Mr. Steele that an allowance under the Mother's Allowance Act be granted to Mrs. A. Brunson at the rate of \$25 per month. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the application for tax consolidation of the N4 18-46-8 W4 be approved. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that the notice of the Vermilion conference of July 17, 1941, be received and filed. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Steele that the letter from the department of public works re bridges, culverts, etc. being the responsibility of the municipal district be received and filed. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that the action taken by the reeve placing caution notices in the Irma Times and placing caution signs at approaches of trestle bridge road between sections 23 and 24-45-8 W4 be approved. Motion carried. Mr. Blakely dissenting.

Moved by Mr. Collette that the letters from the department of municipal affairs regarding census information, railroad crossings on public highways and unemployment insurance Act, be received and filed. Cd.

LETTER TO IRMA FRIENDS

5720 104 St.,
Edmonton, Alta.

Dear Friends of Irma:
We wish we could write a personal letter to each of you, but as that may take some time to do, we would like to convey our thoughts this way.

We sincerely thank you all for the kind wishes, farwell party and lovely gifts, namely, the Community for pen and pencil set and suitcase; Irma Senior Room of public school for car robe and personal gifts; the Women's Institute for W.I. silver spoon; C.G.I.F. for book and C.G.I.F. pin; to the ladies for Wabasso gift set, the girls for books and pictures.

We do appreciate it all so much and hope whenever you are in the city, you will visit us.

We are getting nicely settled and liking it here but missing you all in Irma.

Yours sincerely,
Ray, Joyce and Verna Martin

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the kind friends who gave so many lovely flowers and who helped to lessen our sorrow in any way over the loss of our dear little "Sonny." Especially those who gave so freely of themselves, their time and their cars, and to our minister, Rev. E. Longmire, who gave such a comforting sermon.

The Ellwood Families.

By-law No. 91, a by-law of the municipal district of Battle River No. 423 for the purpose of authorizing the signing of a contract for road building and payment thereof, presented.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that by-law No. 91 pass its first reading. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that by-law No. 91 pass its second reading. Cd.

By unanimous consent of the council present by-law No. 91 was presented for final reading.

Moved by Mr. Steele that by-law No. 91 pass its third and final reading. Cd.

By-law No. 92, a by-law of the municipal district of Battle River No. 423 for the purpose of enacting the sale of the SW 22-45-8 W4 presented.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that by-law No. 92 pass its first reading. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that by-law No. 92 pass its second reading. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Steele that the statement month ending June 30 of receipts and disbursements be accepted and incorporated in the minutes. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Collette that the sum of \$50 be forwarded to the Salvation Army as a grant from this municipal district. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Blakely that the account of P. Voros labor div. 2 be tabled until August meeting.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the accounts of Dr. Dufont dentist \$8 and the Wainwright Municipal hospital \$62 re E. Sunderman, be forwarded to the administrator of estates of the mental incompetents, government of Alberta. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Steele that the following accounts and pay sheets be passed and paid:

Purvis and Logan re agriculture grounds	4.00
Town of Wainwright coll June	186.17
Irma SD 2435 coll June	9.50
Municipal acct com reted.	10.29
J. C. McFarland rel	
Bergquist June	5.00
C. Wilbraham sal June	117.93
Receiver Gen. NDT Wilbraham	2.67
Petty cash	39.56
F. W. Clark supplies	8.20
Tella's hair supplies	7.36
Irma Times papers June	25.00
W. N. Price's ton paper pos'n	15.89
H. Kilb, c'wall migs and com work	61.30
C. F. Glover labor div. 2	50.60
V. Hutchinson mtrl div. 3	2.50
D. McKay labor div. 4, 5	4.50
L. Pongo blacksmith div. 4, 5	16.00
Atlas Lumber mtrl div. 5	3.05
C. Goodale labor div. 5	100.00
S. Lacko blacksmith div. 5	5.00
P. Gidors labor div. 6	10.00
Paymaster's Is 65.25, 6-16-41, 44	
384.00; 4-10-41; 4-18-42; 4-28-40;	
6-18-15. Motion carried.	

Correspondence as listed received and filed: department of public works, trade claims and road grant, copy of articles of agreement re \$1000 road grant; Mrs. A. Kucely relief; Mrs. Bergquist relief. Moved by Mr. Collette that council adjourn. Cd.

V.V.R. RALLY HELD AT MOTT LAKE

Over 100 members of the Wainwright area of the Veterans' Volunteer Reserve attended the V.V.R. rally held at Mott Lake in the Wainwright Military Reserve Park Sunday, July 18. Members of the Irma, Wainwright and Edmonton V.V.R. under their respective unit commanders, R. C. McFarland, B. Cotton and P. Scott, were inspected by Comrade G. Heckbert, M.M., attended by the Wainwright detachment of the R.C.M.P., provincial president of the Canadian Legion.

Comrade Heckbert addressed the members of the V.V.R. in the absence of Major Arthur, the executive officer, his words being appreciated by all.

To finish the day, members, their wives and friends, and families gathered in groups and enjoyed a well prepared picnic lunch.

Albert District News

The Albert W.I. meeting held at the school on July 10 was attended by nearly all members and a number of visitors. During the afternoon two quilts were made for the Red Cross. Later in the afternoon Mrs. Currie received a large collection of useful gifts from the people of the district. Cyril Jones visited Edmonton for a few days.

Mrs. J. W. Matthews and daughter Marjorie are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Coronation.

Miss Adah Currie reports a very enjoyable holiday at Camp Lake and now David Baras, Donald Ramsey and Lloyd Johnston are attending the boys camp there. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnston, also Messrs. Ivan and Leigh Currie have spent several days fishing at Muriel Lake.

A sports day will be held at the old ball grounds just north of Albert on Sunday, July 21, at 2 o'clock. "Lake where it has been held for several years past. The program is to consist of ball games, horse show, and races. Lunch will be served by the W.I. Proceeds for the Red Cross.

Miss Edna Arnold has been visiting at the home of Mrs. C. L. Currie.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Currie and family desire to thank all those who have shown such a neighborly spirit in helping them in their recent misfortune.

RED CROSS NOTES

It is expected there will be a good supply of sewing and all the necessary equipment for sewing next Tuesday, July 22nd. So send your way to the Legion hall and lend a hand to help keep the work going through the summer.

The World of Wheat

H. G. L. Strange

The Canadian Seed Growers' Association has just held its 37th annual Meeting; this year in Quebec. Matters of interest to French-speaking farmers and growers alike were considered. The necessity for an increased production of high quality vegetable seeds to replace those usually imported from Europe; the production of seed of the new higher yielding Hybrid corn varieties, which have swept like a prairie fire across the United States, and which are now being introduced into Canada, and the simplification of the notations of the generation pedigrees of Registered seed were discussed by the delegates present who represented every province in Canada.

But how the association could best help Canada's and the Empire's war effort was the topic with which the members were mainly concerned. At the annual dinner, Mr. Adelard Godbout, the Premier of Quebec, made a most inspiring address; "The French speaking Canadians," he said, "will match every sacrifice made by the English speaking Canadians, both in providing of money, of work and of manpower for the armies. Quebec is ready to fight to the last sacrifice, for the maintenance of the Empire and of 'our way of life'."

The seed growers concluded that a new great leader had arisen in Canada; another Laurier many thought.

Canadian Citizens Asked to Cut Down Gas Consumption

NEW REGULATIONS EXPECTED TO CUT GAS CONSUMPTION BY FIFTY PER CENT.

Ottawa, July 15—Non-essential use of gasoline and other petroleum products in Canada is to be reduced immediately by at least 50 per cent, voluntarily, if the people will co-operate, otherwise by rationing, G. R. Cottrell, oil controller, announced Tuesday.

Following are the steps being taken to attain this objective:

1. Prohibition of sales, distribution and delivery of gasoline from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. week-days, and from 7 p.m. Saturday to 7 a.m. Monday and week-ends.
2. An increase of one cent a gallon in the price of gasoline and other

"white" products of petroleum, including kerosene and distillates used in tractors, effective Wednesday.

3. Prohibition of the use of credit cards, putting gasoline and oil sales on the cash and carry basis, and restricting sales to private consumers to retail stations only.

4. Initiation of a national campaign urging users to cut down drastically on pleasure use of motor cars, and explaining 17 ways by which motor fuel may be conserved by cars in driving and handling cars.

In effect the people of Canada are asked to reduce the use of their private cars by half, and those who use gasoline and oil for other purposes than pleasure and convenience, to exert every effort to reduce consumption and eliminate waste.

Wedding Bells

ELLIOTT-PLATT

A very pretty wedding was solemnized in the Manville United Church on Tuesday, July 16, at 4 p.m. when Helen Jean, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Platt of Innisfree became the bride of Edwin Raymond, eldest son of Mrs. J. McCarty and of the late W. E. Elliott, of Irma.

The Rev. McLeod of Manville performed the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, Mr. Samuel A. Platt, was lovely in a floor length dress of pale blue triple sheer. Completing her ensemble she wore a picture hat in matching straw and carried a bouquet of pink roses, pink carnations and sweet peas.

A pretty bridesmaid was Miss Dorothy E. Platt, sister of the bride. She wore a dainty frock of pale green triple sheer and carried a bouquet of sweet peas.

Mr. Leslie Elliott, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, to the immediate relatives.

Later, amidst showers of confetti, the happy young couple left by motor for the Calgary Stampede, Banff, and Jasper, returning Monday afternoon to make their home north-east of Irma.

FENTON-GRAY

On July 4th at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Wright, Edmonton, the wedding was solemnized between Mary Doris, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gray of Fabyan, and James Stuart, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Fenton, of Irma.

For her wedding the bride chose heaven blue crepe with matching hat, navy accessories, and wore a corsage of tallman roses.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Budgen, of Dapp, Alta.

SCHIECK—FORD

On July 14th, at the Irma United church, the marriage of Annie, eldest daughter of Mr. Frank Ford of Irma, and Richard Ivan, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Schieck, of Wainwright, took place.

Rev. E. Longmire officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of white calamine tulle and carried a bouquet of summer flowers.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Doris Ford, who was becomingly groomed in pink tulle.

Mr. Donald Schieck attended the groom.

After the service a breakfast was held at the home of the bride's father where 50 guests were received.

The bridal table was centered with a three-tier wedding cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Schieck will journey to Jasper and Banff for their honeymoon, and will make their home at Wainwright.

CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

UNITED CHURCH

Albert—Public worship 11:30 a.m.
Alma Mater—Public worship 3 p.m.
Irma—Sunday school 11 a.m.
Public worship 8 p.m.
A hearty invitation to all.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Sunday, July 20
Holy communion 9 a.m.



Interesting Plots!

The "Crop Testing Plan" now in its eleventh year of work, has set up throughout the prairie a large number of testing and demonstration plots where the pure varieties of wheat, oats, barley and flax, together with the average material produced on farms, can be seen all growing in comparison one with the other.

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The Surplus Wheat Problem

Three totally unrelated items appearing in the daily press within a few days of one another afford an excellent example of the statement that situations and conditions can change so rapidly that they may result in the unanticipated solution of problems which have hitherto appeared insurmountable.

The news items referred to all have or may have actual or potential relationship to the solution of the surplus wheat problem which has in the past year or so sorely perplexed the governments, farmer organizations, business and the individual farmers of this country.

One of these items is an announcement by Hon. J. G. Gardiner of the possibility that some of the huge surplus of Canadian wheat may be utilized to assist Russia as a result of the unexpected onslaught of Hitler and his hordes upon the U.S.S.R. and particularly on the Ukraine granary of that country. Another is the announcement that the Australian government has devised a plan for the conversion of some of the wheat in that country into 22,000,000 gallons of power alcohol as a substitute for gasoline. The third is an expression of hope by the Dominion cerealist, Dr. L. H. Newman, that bread containing a minimum of 400 international units of B1 per pound in its natural form will appear "sooner or later" on the domestic market.

All three of these items point in the direction towards at least a partial solution of the immediate problem of bursting Canadian wheat storage facilities. One or more of them might go a long way towards the entire solution of the problem.

Many Unknown Contingencies

While the use of Canadian wheat to feed the Russians depends largely upon the course the war will take within the next few weeks or months as well as many other at present unknown factors over which this country has very little control just now; it at least opens the vista of a potentiality which should not be disregarded. If and when time and circumstances make such disposition of some of this huge surplus a possibility, and an expedient possibility.

The provision of wheat to the Russians, however, is hedged around by so many unknown contingencies, that little or no reliance can yet be placed upon this possibility as a partial solution of the problem at this date, and it would be the part of wisdom, for the present to concentrate on other measures, and especially those means which would ensure increased domestic consumption of this surplus commodity. Both the Australian plan to provide for conversion of wheat into power alcohol and Dr. Newman's proposal fall within this category.

The economic feasibility of substituting power alcohol derived from wheat, in whole or in part, for gasoline in Western Canada with its apparently large reservoirs of petroleum not yet exhausted is highly doubtful until some cheaper method of converting wheat into alcohol has been found. Investigations and experiments conducted elsewhere have shown this to be the case at the present time. The exigencies of war, however, may make production of alcohol for power purposes from wheat a necessity, no matter what the cost; and the dwindling supply of petroleum and cheapening of the process of turning wheat into power, or a combination of both, may open the door for the economic use of the latter. In any event, it is another possibility which should not be overlooked.

An Economic Feasibility

Dr. Newman's suggestion, however, is one which has the merit of economic feasibility and, insofar as domestic consumption of bread is concerned is one in which the Canadian people have complete control. It is a partial solution to the problem of wheat congestion which should only not be neglected, but one which should be pushed to the limit of its possibility.

Dr. Newman intimated what has been voiced as at least a suspicion in this column before, namely that the life-giving, health conserving vitamin B1 is of greater value for human consumption when furnished in its natural form of the wheat germ, than when provided synthetically in the form of chemicals. Moreover, he pointed out, that the 150 international units per 100 pounds provided in some of the commercial flours used by bakeries is not sufficient. The desired objective, he declared, is at least 400 international units per pound.

His objection to the incorporation of the readily assimilable B1 vitamins as found in the germ of the wheat has been removed by the comparatively recent discovery of a milling process which retains this highly valuable content without producing a flour that will not keep, and it can be done without additional cost.

If the people knew that they were getting all the B1 they require in its natural and best form in their bread, they would not have to seek it in other and more expensive foods or to purchase it in chemical form and this would result in increased consumption of bread, hence of wheat.

Greater consumption of bread, impregnated with one of the most important necessities of life and health in its best form would also result in all round improved health for the nation as a whole and, as Dr. Newman truly points out, bread would again become the "staff of life," in its highest accepted meaning.

Her Only Home

The London Daily Sketch says a woman was asked her address at a London hospital. She answered, "Bed No. X Piccadilly Circus, Tube Station." Her only home was the tube shelter where she goes each night. The G.P.O. frequently receives letters directed to public shelters. They are safely delivered by the postman.

or the war, visitors to Banff in the Canadian Rockies in April were 400 per cent. more than in April 1940.

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Test Drawing Nearer

But Britain Will Repel Invasion Or Die Fighting

Lord Beaverbrook believes that the great test for British survival draws near. How soon Hitler will attempt to invade the Motherland. Britain's Minister of State can not say, but he feels that it will be soon and that the people of the United Kingdom "must fight or fall," for they are resolved to conquer Hitler or die where they stand. They will be no retreat.

Thinking Back

No doubt Hitler often thinks of the days when he was a bum on the streets of Vienna, perhaps with clothing that was not quite whole; and Mussolini probably recalls the evil days when he was starving in Switzerland before a Russian countess rescued and fed him.

There are 67 waterfalls with authenticated heights greater than Niagara's.

In the Solomon Islands of the Pacific Ocean, a necklace of beetles' legs is used as a love token.

Veteran Journalist

Editor Of London Publication Congratulated After 50 Years Service

Winston Churchill is one of the busiest men in the world, and carries almost the heaviest burden of responsibility, but he took time off to attend a luncheon and make a speech in honor of Sir Emsley Carr, on the occasion of his fiftieth anniversary as editor of The News of the World. The King also sent a message of congratulation and good wishes.

Fifty years an editor—and still going strong! It is an amazing record, and yet not the record, for the extraordinary C. P. Scott was editor of The Manchester Guardian for 57 years. But then Scott was in a class by himself, and not only in the matter of professional longevity. He was one of the giants of British journalism, and no one can claim this for Sir Emsley Carr, good man and sound journalist though he is. That Sir Emsley has made a success of his job is evident, not only from the fact that he has held it so long, but that under his management The News of the World has grown from a circulation of the most modest dimensions to more than three millions—probably the largest weekly circulation in the world.—P. O. D. in Saturday Night.

To Sell Goods

Urges Advertising Be Kept Up To Preserve Buying Habit

Col. Willard Chevalier, of New York, publisher of Business Week, told the Toronto Advertising and Sales Club that neglect of advertising during the present emergency will have a disturbing effect on business when the social and economic scheme of things becomes normal again.

Col. Chevalier suggested management of every business operating under a war or defence economy should look beyond existing conditions, and said the buying habit must be retained to offset the period of re-establishment to come.

"Once again it is going to become necessary to go out to the people and interest them in products," he said. "The buying habit will be interfered with soon because certain products will not be available to the public. Others will be rationed, still more will be suspended, to a degree."

"Any neglect in selling and advertising is bound to produce a disastrous effect later, he said. The buying habit must be retained, people should not lose touch with products."

Increase in Marriages

Canadian Towns And Cities Show The Strongest Trend

In Canadian towns and cities of 10,000 population and over, the number of marriages increased 23 per cent. in 1940; in all Canada, 19 per cent. In the first third of 1941, the urban marriages were "up" 60 per cent. compared with the same period two years ago. In 1940, the number of births in the towns and cities represented an increase of 12 1/2 per cent.; in all Canada, less than 6 per cent. While the figures for the Dominion as a whole are therefore somewhat smaller than the reports from urban centres indicated might be the case, they are impressive enough. As a result of the higher birthrate, the "natural increase" in Canada's population (excess of births over deaths) rose from 120,517 in 1939 to 132,988 in 1940.—The Toronto Star.

Better Than Perfect

President Of Pan American Airways System Enthusiastic About R.A.F.

Picturing the organization of the British Royal Air Force as "at least 105 per cent.," Juan T. Tripp, president of the Pan American Airways System, predicted on his return to New York by clipper that there would be no more daylight air raids over England and that while night raids were still expected they would prove very costly to the Germans. In England he had an opportunity to see many of the 500 new bombers built about Great Britain and that after seeing the R.A.F. pilots standing by their warmed-up machines ready to take off in 20 seconds if the enemy is sighted, "you get the impression of a fine, well-rounded organization, moulded together, functioning as a unit."

A pastor says, "As you think as you are." So if you don't think, you just aren't.

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Vitamin Bread

Hope To Establish A Standard Grade Of Flour For The Purpose

Hope for establishment of a government standard grade or brand of flour and bread containing a minimum amount of vitamin B1 was expressed, in an address prepared for delivery at Guelph, Ont., by Dr. L. H. Newman, Dominion cerealist, Ottawa. He spoke at the regional convention of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists.

Dr. Newman suggested the vitamin should come from the wheat itself and not from synthetic processes, and that measures be passed insuring that those offering such flour or bread for sale would be complying with legal minimum requirements.

"We believe that if and when such a loaf comes to be recognized by the medical people of this country and sponsored by our own department of health, that our white bread will once again come to be regarded as the 'real staff of life,'" he continued.

"We feel that an increased consumption of the new type of bread which we feel sure will sooner or later appear on the market, not only will mean much to the health of our people but will assist materially in increasing the consumption of bread and therefore wheat."

Tests of commercial flours used by bakers at present showed vitamin B1 at approximately 150 international units per pound. Dr. Newman said, while the objective desired was at least 400 international units per pound.

SELECTED RECIPES

CAULIFLOWER AU GRATIN

1 medium cauliflower, cooked
10 Christmas Soda Wafers, crumbled fine
Salt and pepper
3 cup milk
3 tablespoons grated Canadian cheese
2 tablespoons butter

Separate cauliflower into flowerets. Dip in sugar. Layer cauliflower and wafers. Season and pour milk over all. Sprinkle cheese on top and dot with butter. Bake in a hot oven (475 degrees F.) for 15-20 minutes. Six portions.

CRUNCHY FLAKE MACAROONS

2 egg whites
1 cup brown or granulated sugar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
2 cups corn flakes
1/2 cup chopped nuts
1 cup shredded coconut
Beat egg whites until stiff but not dry. Fold in sugar, vanilla, coconut, corn flakes, nut meats and coconut. Mix carefully. Drop by spoonfuls on well-greased baking sheet. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 15 to 20 minutes. Remove immediately from pan. If macaroons stick, place pan on top of stove and remove macaroons using spatula or sharp knife. If macaroons become hardened to pan they may be returned to oven to soften slightly.
Yield: 1 1/2 dozen macaroons (two inches in diameter).

In Spite Of Scars

All Who Love Freedom Will Prefer London To Paris

Freedom is only for those who defend it, says Canon Cody. And so is peace of mind. Consider London and Paris. Paris is still large and unscarred, but throughout the length and breadth of the world, secretly or openly, bitterly or contentiously, by friend and foe alike, it is considered as a large city populated by harlots and hirelings.

But London. By virtue of its suffering London has grown in stature until the crust Cockney of them all has a glory all his own.

The Good Book says something about the fullness of a man saving his life—and losing his soul.—T. R. Henry in Toronto Telegram.

A Blitzkrieg Fish

Known To New York Aquarium Experts As Torpedo Ray

A fish with an electrical discharge of more than 200 volts and a power unit of about three horse-power in a fraction of a second has been placed on exhibition at the New York Aquarium, after a demonstration of its power that momentarily paralyzed five Aquarium attendants, the New York Zoological Society announced. The stinging fish, known to experts as the torpedo ray, was the largest ever handled by the Aquarium staff.

Typical Of The British

The second officer of a British merchant ship risked his life to rescue three wounded German airmen from a sinking raft. This is probably much more than they would have done for him had their positions been reversed.

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Identity Never Solved

Mystery Veteran Of First Great War Dies In Hospital

Mystery surrounding the true identity of "Jordan X. X. Smith," a patient at Westminster Military hospital in London for 20 years, remained unsolved following his death on June 30.

A veteran of the first Great War, his mind and speech were affected by shock and he could mumble only a few incoherent words. Out of such mumblings came the name "Jordan X. X. Smith" for hospital records. Smith was sent to Ripon, England reparation camp, in 1919 with a group of war prisoners released from Germany. He was wearing a German military uniform but it was not known whether he fought for the allies or the enemy.

He was sent to Canada and then to the Westminster hospital where he remained until his death.

A telegram telling of his death was sent to a woman in Jersey City, N.J., who claimed him as a brother, but it was returned.

Air Training Plan

To Train Ground Crew Personnel For Overseas Work

Hon. C. G. Power, minister of national defence for air, said that the Commonwealth Air Training Plan is producing 25 per cent. more pilots, air observers, air gunners and wireless operators than was expected when the plan was first projected.

Mr. Power also revealed that training of ground crews has been so successful that it is proposed to man all 25 R.C.A.F. squadrons to be formed overseas. R.C.A.F. squadrons now are manned by Royal Air Force ground crews.

Several thousand ground crew personnel will be trained for overseas work, he said.

The air minister added that one of the most interesting experiments in the training plan was formation of the "composite school" for the "washed-out" pilot, revealing for the first time setting up of such a school. It is located at Trenton, Ont., and is under direction of Squadron Leader Denton Massey.

"Only one per cent. of the washed-out pilots have been granted their discharge if they wish, but they would rather remain to be of some assistance in the great cause."

Not Taking Advice

Nazis Have Dropped Leaflets Telling Britons To Give Up

Leaflets dropped on the British Isles by Nazi planes advised Britons to give up because they would be doomed to starvation "this year or early next year." The leaflets, single sheets printed on both sides in English, quote various statements by President Roosevelt on British aid and German claims of the sinking of innumerable British ships in the battle of the Atlantic. Britain's avenues of supply are being "finally" closed, the leaflets said.

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DAUGHTER OF DESTINY

—BY—
Eleanor Atterbury Colton

CHAPTER XIV.

Devona launched her job-hunt that very morning. Clipping the "Help Wanted—Female" column from the big daily paper she'd bought at the station, she borrowed a street map from the desk clerk and planned a campaign.

Naturally, the first day she didn't find anything. Aching tired, she forced down a bowl of soup and a sandwich at a corner drug store and plodded back to the hotel to crawl gratefully into the hard, narrow bed. It had been terribly hard work—walking the long blocks between addresses to save the carfare, waiting in crowded offices, steeling herself for every interview.

But she wasn't really discouraged, she assured herself before she fell asleep of sheer exhaustion. She couldn't expect to find a job the very first time she tried.

Not even the second or third day. Nor, probably, the first week. And by having a "merchant's lunch" at the Owl every noon, she could substitute fruit and milk in her room for dinners. She lost a little weight, of course, but that was to be expected. More alarmingly, her slim resources fast grew slimmer. That was to be expected, too, she realized with threads of panic fraying her courage. She'd have to find something soon!

At the end of the third week Devona took stock again. This time with desperation gnawing at her. Everywhere, she'd met the same answer. "Sorry, we want experienced help."

Lips trembling with embarrassment—and sudden terror—Devona didn't try to answer, walked blindly out of the shabby foyer into the street.

Into the street! That's where she'd been after 3:30 this afternoon if she didn't find something.

At noon Devona pawned the pretty gold wristwatch her father had given her on her 16th birthday and the first real bitterness seeped like acid into her head. When this money was gone it meant—the end. Another 24 hours and she was beaten!

It had begun to rain as she came out of the hotel. A fine, drizzling rain that would ruin her coat and put the finishing touches on her once-smart dress. Tears much larger than the raindrops pressed at the corners of her eyes. A shabby appearance wouldn't help her cause any.

She ran half a block to the canopied entrance of a night club, huddled, gasping for breath, trembling with fatigue under the gawdy striped awning.

It began to rain now in earnest. A driving, pelting deluge as the sky grew darker. She couldn't go out in that, she thought wearily and sagged against the building. In another moment it might let up, a uniformed doorman stopped watching her covertly and stepped toward her.

"Waiting for some one, miss?" he asked, courteous, but his attitude indicated very pointedly that the management didn't encourage loitering in the doorway.

Devona mustered her last scrap of dignity. "Yes—a friend," and hoped it sounded as cool as she intended. It was hard to be dignified with rain dripping from the soggy brim of her hat, seeping into her thin-soled shoes.

"Won't you step inside, then, miss?" he persisted.

Devona hesitated, noticed the insignia on his vested cap. A Mexican, in curving gold braid. Where had she seen that before?

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The foyer was deserted. Past the luncheon hour now, it was still too early for the cocktail crowd.

"Who was it you said you wanted to see?" The doorman, still at her elbow, watched her suspiciously.

Devona hadn't said she wanted to see any one, and he knew it. But she had to say something. Anything to give her an excuse to sit down and rest a while in one of these deep-cushioned maroon velvet chairs.

"Mr. —" A name leaped to her tongue out of some subconscious recess of her distracted mind. "Mr. Macias. Mr. Jose Macias, please."

"Certainly, miss." The doorman's attitude changed instantly. "I'll see if he's in."

Drawing a deep breath, Devona wilted into a chair, prayed that Mr. Macias would not be in or would be busy, or something.

But no luck. He was in and he would be delighted to see her immediately.

Dully she followed the doorman across the foyer to the gray-paneled door marked "Manager's Office." Now for the showdown and then back out into the streets again. If only she didn't feel so terribly hollow inside, no light-headed.

For a moment, Mr. Macias, alone in his elaborate, maroon-draped office, studied her coldly from behind his broad gray and chromium desk. Then, his smile breaking suddenly into recognition, he rose, came to meet her, hands outstretched.

"But, buenos dias, Senorita! This is an unexpected pleasure," and pulling a silver-velvet chair closer. "Please, sit down. I am so happy to see you again. You are in town on a little pleasure trip?"

"Not—exactly," Devona smiled weakly, sank into the chair wearily. "Shopping, then, perhaps. And look, you will stay for the cocktail hour. I promised you some excitement, I remember." He pulled his own chair closer, his handsome dark eyes quick in their appraisal of her.

"No, thank you," Devona shook her head, anticipated the faint surprise in his face when she saw those sharp, black eyes discover her threadbare, rain-soaked shoes, the neatly darned place in her stocking, the hole in her glove. "You see, I'm hunting a job."

He stared at her, incredulously. "You—hunting a job?"

"Yes—a gray little smile. "And so far, I haven't been too successful. I tried to laugh lightly, but the effort left thudding against her mushrooming discouragement, nearly ended in a sob.

"But—you are just fooling," Macias scowled, his handsome face breaking almost immediately into another smile. "You want the career. Is not that it, Senorita? Something to play with just to amuse yourself?"

Devona shook her head grimly. "No. Something to work at so I can eat!"

For a moment Macias only stared at her. "But—you are serious?"

"Of course. Terribly serious." She laughed a little. "You see I'm—hungry."

"But surely, your friend Mr. Brasher—"

Devona interrupted that quickly. "Mr. Brasher and I are no longer—friends." She swallowed hard. "I'm—absolutely on my own. No one even knows where I am. I left home for—personal reasons."

"Come, come. That too bad. But maybe just a quarrel? You could forgive and—"

"No, I'm never going back," she said quietly. "Not even if it meant an overdose of sleeping powder instead. That's behind me—forever. Now, I have my own way to make."

"But you are very young—and very beautiful—to face the world alone," Devona shrugged. "Nevertheless, I have to get a job. You don't, by any chance, know of any one who needs an untrained, inexperienced girl who speaks three languages, do you?"

He shook his head slowly. "No, I'm sorry. If I did, I would like to help you. I would like to help the friend of Mr. Brasher."

"But I'm not a friend of Mr. Brasher—no more," Devona insisted doggedly. She wouldn't fly under false colors. "But—and this time she succeeded in making her smile real. "I do need a job—desperately."

Her eyes met Macias' bold scrutiny pleadingly and for an instant her breath stopped as she saw the sly change in his expression. His teeth, even and hard and white in his swarthy face, his smile a bold challenge now. She found herself remembering Dale's very, "Any pretty new face, and with Macias it's off with the old and on with the new."

"I see," he was saying, his eyes smiling while he toyed with some idea.

An idea, Devona sensed instinctively, that would be more dangerous, probably than starving. So, rising suddenly, she smiled again.

"Well, it's been nice of you to see me," she said, just as if she noticed nothing of his changed manner. "And if you do hear of a job, let me know."

Macias rose, too. "You must leave your address, Miss Raebourne. I will be getting in touch with you." Even the pseudo-Mexican accent had disappeared from his speech. Not the bowing, anxious knicker now! But still—and more dangerously now—the bold, dark-eyed gallant.

Panicked a little, Devona tried to direct her numb feet to the door. But the long, wearing hours of waiting and waiting, the lack of food, the discouragement—all took sudden toll of her flagging strength.

For a moment, the door she faced wavered crazily, then slipped farther and farther out of reach. She was fainting! Terrified, she clutched at a chair back, missed it, felt herself falling, falling—falling—into a soft, black cloud.

But she mustn't faint! Not here—not now. Desperately she tried to fight her way back. She must keep her wits. She must!

It was no use. Even the floor was giving way under her now. And—somehow—it just didn't—matter.

(To Be Continued)

Mail For Soldiers

Name Of Post Office Should Be Included When Mailing To Troops SHIP IN CANADA

The incomplete addressing of mail intended for soldiers at training in Canada is the cause of numerous delays in delivery. Honourable William P. Mulock, K.C., Postmaster-General, to obviate this situation, again requests the full co-operation of the public in writing out in full the correct and complete address on all military mail.

It is essential that the post office place-name should always be included in the addresses of mail posted to soldiers still in Canada because their mail is handled by the civil post offices and not by the Army Postal Service. The omission of the "name of place where the soldier is located" has resulted in many such letters and parcels being forwarded to the Base Post Office, where it is found that the Units named in the address are still in Canada. The resultant delay thus caused, and the extra work thrown upon the Canadian Postal Corps in locating the addressees of this mail would be entirely eliminated if the rules of correct addressing are observed.

Mail for delivery in Canada should be addressed with the usual complete particulars—Regimental Number, Rank and Name, Name and details of Unit (i.e., Company or Section, Squadron, Battery, Holding Unit, etc.) and Name of Regiment or branch of the service, in full; and the name of the post office where the soldier's unit is located.

Mail for delivery overseas should bear the Regimental Number, Rank and Name of soldier, Name and details of Unit, (i.e., Company or Section, Squadron, Battery, Holding Unit, etc.) Name of Regiment or branch of the service in full—and the words Canadian Army Overseas, but no place-name should be given. All letters should be fully prepaid, and a return address should be given in the upper left-hand corner.

Had Reason For Choice

English Boy Knew Why He Wanted To Understand German

David Stevenson, 15, is the son of W. H. Stevenson—who was editor of the London Daily Herald and now is with the British Ministry of Information. David has been going to school at Charter House, and recently matriculated at Oxford. When the exam results were published, his father discovered that the boy had won honors in the language test he had selected—German. The boy confessed that he had been studying German, privately, and without any tutoring. "We've lived in France and you speak French fluently," the senior Stevenson reminded him. "You also can speak Spanish and Italian. Why did you pick the German language?" "Because by the time I'm 18," young David explained, "there will be an army of occupation in Germany—and I mean to be with it."—New York Post.

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Getting Out Of France

Youths Of Military Age Constantly Escaping To Join De Gaulle

Janet Flanner, writing in The New Yorker, says: In an effort to channelize the energy behind French resistance into positive action, the Free French have selected, as their recruiting slogan, "We have nothing but our bare breasts. Let us not stay home and merely try to stir up trouble. Let us see and join General de Gaulle." This flight of youth is a mixture of patriotism, nomadism, and desperation in the face of a barren future and the Nazi propaganda set out to snare the young in both occupied and unoccupied France in their schools, in Youth Camps, and in official youth magazines. Not only French boys but French girls are fleeing. French consulates in Spain and Portugal are swamped by these adolescents; in Lisbon recently a hundred French boys and girls suddenly appeared in a group on the streets. As males of military age—from 20 to 48—are forbidden to leave any part of France, getting over the frontier is a difficult job. In Paris, a French reserve officer and his wife were caught and imprisoned after they had said nine hundred and sixty-five French youths to escape to England. From the unoccupied zone there is a regular underground-railway route for enlistment in the de Gaulle forces, via North Africa. To escape through the occupied zone, the most of the young fellows at first used Breton fishing boats. To thwart this, the Germans sent Nazi guards out on the schooner when the Bretons went to fish, but the Bretons overpowered the guards and delivered Nazis, fresh fish, and new de Gaullette sails together at English ports. Now the Breton fishermen are forbidden to go to sea at all; as fish provide Brittany's principal diet and the principal income for peasants on its coasts, this is a great hardship.

Forced Labor

German Dragon Men In Occupied Polish Territory

It is no secret that the Germans are continually seizing more through-out German-occupied Poland for forced labor, either in factories or on farms, in Germany. A recent report of an account given by an eye-witness received through a reliable source which cannot be directly quoted, adds significance to this slave-practice.

Failing to obtain "voluntary" workers in sufficient numbers from among the Poles, the Germans have ruthlessly continued, sometimes on an enlarged scale, with their "battalions" or manhunts. Whenever such a raid takes place, the entire population is terrified, street cars are vacated by the passengers, and men rush either to a friend's or to any available apartment, in order to conceal themselves. Others seek safety on roof tops or in cellars.

In some areas where the Jews have not been confined to separate quarters, the wisest Poles wear the white armband with a blue star of Zion, the sign of the Jew. They know quite well that Jews are not deported to Germany for forced labor.

Pin Shortage In London

Recent Dispatch Says They Are Now Almost Unobtainable

Anything which adds a momentary gleam of humor as relief from the tragedy of war is welcome. Such is the recent dispatch from London telling of the frantic searching for pins by Saville Row tailors. They are said to be delving between the cracks of their floor boards, where pins may have fallen in better days, for the little implements to hold suits together while they are being fitted on British forms. Pins are currently unobtainable in London.

Western hemlock, one of B.C.'s large trees, is becoming established in special fields of lumber usefulness.

Bronze is a mixture of copper and tin.

Women For War Work

Several Thousand Women Volunteers Will Be Enlisted

Several thousand women volunteers will be enlisted within the next few months to serve as full-time auxiliaries in the armed forces, War Services Minister Thorson announced at a press conference.

The women volunteers will form a pool from which women's auxiliary corps in the army, navy and air force will be supplied by personnel as required.

Applications for entry to the women's corps will be received by the War Services Department and the National Defence Department will organize the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

National Defence officials estimated that from 2,000 to 3,000 women can be absorbed into this corps in the next six months.

Mr. Thorson asked that women withhold their applications to join until the necessary regulations have been worked out. He said that suitable recruits would be taken even if they were not members of voluntary women's organizations which have undertaken training in Canada. The plan has no connection with recruiting now being done in Canada for women's services in the United Kingdom.

The women will be engaged as drivers of light motor vehicles, as cooks and waitresses in hospitals and messes, as canteen helpers, store women, telephone operators, messengers and clerical workers.

They will be uniformed and will be required to enroll on the same basis as soldiers. Their pay will be somewhat lower than that of soldiers.

Mr. Thorson said the present call was for service in Canada, but both ministers agreed service overseas on a voluntary basis would be considered if the demand arose.

Col. Ralston said enrolment would be gradual as accommodation at a voluntary basis would be constructed or billeting space obtained. The corps will have its own officers.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

REFORM

Charles Fox said that restoration were the most bloody of all revolutions; and he might have added that reformations are the best mode of preventing the necessity of either.—Coleridge.

Every reform, however necessary, will by weak minds be carried to an excess which will itself need reforming.—Coleridge.

This is a period of doubt, inquiry, speculation, selfishness; of divided interests, marvelous good, and mysterious evil. But sin can only work out its own destruction; and reform does and must push on the growth of mankind.—Mary Baker Eddy.

He who reforms himself, has done more toward reforming the public, than a crowd of noisy, impotent patriots.—Lavater.

How important, often, is the pain of guilt, as a stimulant to amendment and reformation.—John Foster.

All reform except a moral one will prove unavailing.—Carlyle.

Women Carpenters

Are Going To Repair And Rebuild Homes In Croydon

Corps of women carpenters and joiners, most of whom had to be taught how to hold a hammer, has been set to the task of repairing and rebuilding bomb-blasted homes in Croydon.

Most of the women, who get 22 cents an hour now and will get 33 cents an hour after six months, are able to hit a nail with fair accuracy after a few hours at the shop and have been taught to saw a fairly straight line.

"We expect a big expansion of women carpenters," said C. H. Walker, superintendent of reconstruction in Croydon. "We expect them to continue after the war."

The feminine right to primp has been recognized on this job. The workers get an extra 22 cents a week for soap and towels.

This letter, used by a bill collecting agency, is said to have worked wonders: "Dear Sir, Please send us the name of a good lawyer in your city. We may have to use you."

The man who grows about his wife's cooking three times a day will eat any old thing with relish when he is camping out for a week with a stag party.

With 99½ per cent. of organized labor in Britain voting for a war to the finish with no negotiated peace, the spirit of the British people is unmistakable. 2419

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- 128—"Easy Lessons in Guitar Playing"

Australia Takes Action

War Industry Strikes And Lockouts Outlawed For Duration

Strikes and lockouts in war industries have been outlawed in Australia "for the duration." The Prime Minister, threatened to use the emergency powers given him last year to send "disloyalists responsible for such stoppages" to a concentration camp. At the same time he warned uncooperative employers that he would not hesitate to take over their plants.

With the exception of New Zealand, Australia has proportionately the strongest labor party in the British Commonwealth of Nations. Thirty-six of the 74 seats in its House of Representatives are occupied by Laborites. Yet that has not prevented Australia from banning strikes and other stoppages of work, which would interfere with its all-out effort.

A Good Opportunity

To Establish Better Standard Of Housing After The War

Little can be done during the war. But afterwards Canada will have the opportunity to establish a Canadian standard of housing, a standard conforming with our modern standards of health and education. There is no point in protecting the health of our children and giving them an expensive education, if they are forced to spend 16 hours out of the 24 in squalid and semi-squalid conditions.—Calgary Herald.

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World Week

By HAROLD L. WEIR

Associate Editor of the Edmonton Bulletin and author of the daily column "From the News"

The creation of an American military protectorate of Iceland means, in the eyes of the Allies, that the North Atlantic has become an Anglo-American lake, that the United States is now prepared to fight in the extended western hemisphere and that Germany is finally confronted by the immediate possibility of a clash with the air, sea and land forces of one of the most powerful and wealthy nations on earth. It works out this way:

The establishment of a corps of American troops on Iceland means that the United States is prepared to fight to maintain those troops there for the duration, come what may.

That, in turn, means that the United States is prepared to maintain a sea lane between the American coast and Iceland's capital. And that means that the American navy is prepared to sink any hostile raiders and submarines that may be encountered in that stretch of water.

The maintenance of an American force in Iceland also implies protection both of sea lanes and of Iceland itself by the American army and air force, and that means that any long distance German raider sweeping out of Brest or Stavanger or any other German base will be subject to attack.

In other words, all the instruments of destruction which are now being employed by the Germans in the Battle of the Atlantic will, henceforth, be confronted by the joint forces of Great Britain and the United States.

Thus, so far as the North Atlantic is concerned, the United States is defensively at war just as she has been defensively at war in the Western Hemisphere ever since the assumed control of certain British bases there.

This is the interpretation placed upon President Roosevelt's Iceland move by officials, press and public of Britain. It may be too optimistic. But I don't think it is.

At any rate, it has been the biggest moral tonic the British and their Allies have had since the war began. Even the passage of the Lend-Lease Bill did not effect the feeling of genuine relief and exhilaration which has followed this action.

As I say, the British people may be expecting too much. But since Mr. Roosevelt offered no corollary explanation along with the action, we can only draw our own conclusions.

Of course, the practical effects of the American move remain to be seen and these will depend entirely upon what the Germans choose to do about it.

Two or three months ago Iceland was regarded as a possible or even a probable German objective and was manned accordingly by heavy forces of Empire troops.

German concentrations around Petsamo (Finland) and mysterious movements along the Norwegian west coast supported the suspicion that trouble might be brewing in the North Atlantic. Recently, when it was discovered that the Germans were planning to strike at Russia, the scare abated somewhat.

Some new evidence, however, must have come to light. Mr. Roosevelt's action was openly predicated on the belief that the Germans meditated some new move in this region.

One definite effect will be to tight-

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General.—In the Prairie Provinces, moderate weather has prevailed for the past week and scattered rains have checked deterioration in many districts. There is a decided moisture deficiency in west-central and northern Saskatchewan and eastern Alberta and more rain would be welcome over all these two provinces. Loss from hail and pests has been slight and active poisoning is expected to keep insects in check. Sugar beets in Alberta and Manitoba are progressing favorably. The Federal Minister of Agriculture has estimated the prairie wheat acreage as down by 37% from that of 1940. In Quebec Province, recent rains have materially improved the condition of all crops, but more moisture is needed in many districts. In Ontario, crop prospects, while poor, have been improved somewhat by recent rains over most of the province although hay and cereal crops were too far advanced to be benefited greatly. Further rains are needed to maintain growth. In the maritime provinces, warmer weather during the past week has been beneficial and crops generally are showing satisfactory growth. In British Columbia, grain and vegetable crops continue to make good progress. Hay is giving an average yield. A heavy crop of potatoes is in prospect, while the apple yield is estimated at but 65 per cent of normal.

ALBERTA.—Conditions have deteriorated during the past week and are not as favorable as last year. In the Peace River district and in the extreme south, prospects are good, and in the west-central and northern districts, fair to good, and in the east-central area, poor. Additional moisture is urgently needed over most of the province. Hail losses have been slight. Wheatworms have caused slight damage to the sugar beet crop.

SASKATCHEWAN.—Most of the province requires general rains. Scattered light to heavy rainfall has improved prospects in many districts, but there has been some further deterioration in west-central and northern areas, where crops and light land and stubble will be very light. Wheat is 40 per cent in head. Coarse grains are coming into shot blade. Damage from hail and pests is light.

MANITOBA.—Moderate weather with showers has maintained all crops in favorable condition. Moisture is sufficient for the present, except in the extreme northwest, where more rain is needed. Wheat is 60 per cent headed and coarse grains are in shot blade. The hay crop is heavy, pastures are in excellent condition and vegetable crops are good. Sugar beets are progressing satisfactorily; weeds are prevalent, but are under control and damage is negligible.

Alberta and Ontario, the two Canadian provinces producing the most hogs, are also producing the best hogs. Hogs in these provinces are now grading from 38 to 37 per cent A grade with a low volume in lights and heavies. Canada needs more than twice the present volume of A grade hogs in order that Canadian bacon may equal the quality of bacon supplied to Great Britain previous to the war by foreign countries. —Wheat Pool Budget.

on up control of the North Atlantic against German submarines, surface raiders and bombers and this will be of immediate, perhaps vital, assistance to the Allied cause.

American military occupation of Iceland, when coupled with occupation of key points in Greenland will allow perfection of air control over the convoy route which, up until now, has been hazardous.

While British and Allied forces will continue to comb the entire Atlantic for enemy raiders, the only stretch along the entire New York-United Kingdom sea route for which they will have complete responsibility will be the relatively short jump from Icelandic territorial waters to the north of Scotland.

It may be assumed that the Iceland occupation had been carefully prepared over a long period and that everything for control of the route between the United States and Iceland by air and sea had been arranged.

This paper invites its readers to listen to Harold L. Weir in the Saturday Night Review which is broadcast every Saturday night at 9:15 over radio station CFRN (1280 kc.).

LOCALS

Lester Mikhelson was home on leave last week-end. Mrs. J. Holt is visiting relatives in Irma and district. Mr. and Mrs. Ross McFarland and family left this week for a few weeks' holiday at Pigeon Lake.

Bob Charter left at the early part of the week for Calgary where he expects to train for wireless operator. Miss Marjorie McNaughton, Dunster, B.C., is visiting her two aunts, Mrs. McCartney and Mrs. Arnold. About forty boys from Wainwright, Irma and other places along this line are enjoying this week at Camp Lake. Mr. and Mrs. D. McCafferty and daughter called on friends in Irma last Sunday.

James Carter of the R.C.A.F. at Moosebank, Sask., arrived home last Saturday on ten days leave. The next W.A. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Pryce Jones on Friday, July 25th. All visitors are welcome.

The Alberta Assessment Commission visited Irma on Tuesday of this week and dealt with a number of complaints.

Mr. Max Webber has accepted a position as clerk in A. E. Foxwell's store since the departure of Allison Carter for training with the R.C.A.F. Sharon Ladue Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Erickson, Thursday, July 24. Everyone invited to attend.

Messrs. Alan Larson and Henry Lindberg left for Calgary last week-end where they were called up for youth training.

U.P.C. picnic will be held on July 23 at Battle Heights school grounds. Everybody welcome. Booth on the grounds; dance at night.

Mrs. Johnny Hines' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Peterson and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin A. Peterson of Hughenden, have taken up residence in Irma.

Don't forget the Roseberry and Alma Mater L.A. garden party to be held at Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McLean's on July 30th. Supper served from 6 to 7:30. Fun for all.

Mrs. James Fenton is enjoying a visit this week from two of her sisters and a niece, Mrs. J. A. Chappell of Seattle, Wash. Mrs. W. F. White and daughter Barbara of Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Pryce Jones and daughter Kathleen and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith motored to Edmonton last Wednesday afternoon and returned the same night.

Mr. W. M. Whiteley left for Penhold last Monday where he will start training in the R.C.A.F. Mrs. W. M. Whiteley is visiting with friends and relatives for a few weeks before joining her husband.

The regular meeting of the Alma Mater and Roseberry L.A. will be held Thursday, July 24, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Anderson. Dev., Mrs. Geo. Fischer; hostesses, Mrs. Clark Steele and Mrs. Anderson. Neighbors and friends welcome.

Recent visitors at the homes of Mrs. Flewelling and Mrs. Tate were Mr. and Mrs. N. Flewelling, Lorne and Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flewelling, Bruce and Wynne, all of Lacombe, and Miss I. Flewelling, B.A., from Fergus, Ontario.

At a meeting of the electors of the Irma school district held last Monday evening, Mr. Jack Fletcher was elected by acclamation to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. J. W. Milburn. At the board meeting which followed, the resignation of Miss Stewart was read and accepted. Miss Stewart was successful in getting an appointment on the Edmonton teaching staff.

During an electrical storm recently a lightning bolt followed the wires from the Winchinger tower into Mr. A. E. Blakley's basement and completely wrecked his storage batteries. At the same time his telephone was put out of action and his radio aerial was struck. The bolt followed the wire to the insulator above a shed, the insulator was smashed and a ball of fire the size of a water ball fell to the roof of the shed and rolled to the ground.

CANADIAN WHEAT BOARD REGULATIONS IN EFFECT

Under the Canadian Wheat Board regulations covering the crop year 1941-42, every producer who makes delivery of or sells wheat to any party, or takes it to a mill to be grieved, must have a permit and all such deliveries must be entered in the permit book, and be within his established quota at the delivery point.

It is further provided that no person, unless he is duly authorized by the Canadian Wheat Board, shall take delivery, buy or mill wheat, and no person shall sell, deliver or otherwise dispose of any wheat to, or have

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WAINWRIGHT SCHOOL DIVISION

No. 32

TENDERS FOR COAL

Sealed tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees of the above School Division at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer up to noon, July 25th, 1941, for the supplying of 300 tons more or less of D. S. Lump Coal P.O.B. all points from Kinsella to Butte, both inclusive. Further particulars upon request.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
D. H. Currie, Secretary-Treasurer, Wainwright, Alberta.

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No. 32

TENDERS FOR COAL HAULING

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees of the above School Division up to noon, July 25, 1941, for the hauling of all or any part of 300 tons of coal to schools in the Division. Further particulars upon request.

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it milled by any person not so authorized by the Canadian Wheat Board.

Elevator companies who are licensed by the Board of Grain Commissioners and who operate under a regular Wheat Board Agreement will be handled through their head offices. However, all other parties wishing to deal in wheat will have to make application to the Canadian Wheat Board, 428 Main Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba, setting forth full particulars of their business.

As no purchases or deliveries of wheat may be made until authority is received by the Board, it is requested that these applications be made as soon as possible.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BATTLE RIVER, No. 423

Whereas under the provisions of Section 26 of the Tax Recovery Act, 1936, the following parcels of land may be leased from the Municipal District of Battle River, No. 423, for a term of one or three years as the case may be. Applications will be considered at every regular meeting of the council at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon until disposed of.

N½ SW	3	45	7	4	NE	2	44	9	4
NW	5	45	7	4	NW	2	44	9	4
SE	5	45	7	4	SE	2	44	9	4
SW	5	45	7	4	SW	2	44	9	4
SE	6	45	7	4	SW	2	45	9	4
SW	12	45	7	4	NE	28	45	8	4
(1 acre)					SE	28	45	8	4
SW	28	45	7	4	SW	28	45	8	4
NE	27	45	7	4	NW	28	45	8	4

Redemption may be effected by payment of all arrears of taxes and costs at any time prior to lease.

Chas. Wilbraham, Secretary-Treasurer.

Bids will be received by the council of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423 in a public sale manner for the purchase of the following lands:

NE	27	45	7	4	NW	18	44	7	4
NE	2	44	9	4	S½ SW	12	44	7	4
NW	2	44	9	4	ALL	18	45	7	4
SE	2	44	9	4	NE	34	45	8	4
NE	28	45	8	4	NW	34	45	8	4
SE	28	45	8	4	SE	34	45	8	4
SW	28	45	8	4	SW	34	45	8	4
N½ NW	28	45	8	4	SE	9	44	9	4
S½ NW	28	45	8	4	SE	9	45	7	4
SE	5	44	9	4	N½	16	45	7	4
NW	6	44	9	4	SW	22	45	7	4
NW	7	44	9	4	SW	25	45	7	4

At any regular meeting of the council at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon until disposed of.

CHAS. WILBRAHAM, Sec.-Treas.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Take notice, person or persons using if the knife is first moistened in water.

road allowance between sections 28 and 24-45-9 do so entirely at their own risk.

By order of the council.

Chas. Wilbraham,

Secretary-Treasurer.

M.D. Battle River, 423

Hard boiled eggs can cut cater if the knife is first moistened in water.

To remove an old calcimine finish from walls, soak it thoroughly with hot water applied with an old brush, then remove with a sponge.

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